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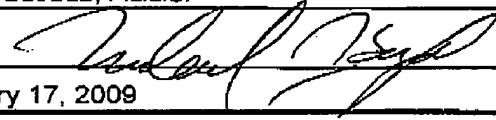
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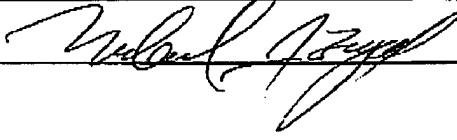
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Dear Sir:

[XXX] NO FEES ARE PAYABLE WITH RESPECT TO THIS RESPONSE.

In response to the official action mailed February 6, 2009, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 31, 35, 37-40, 42, 47, 48, 50, 52, 53, 56 and 58 as follows in which the claim additions are shown by underlining and/or the claim deletions are shown by either strikeout or brackets. Please enter the amended claims into the record of this case.